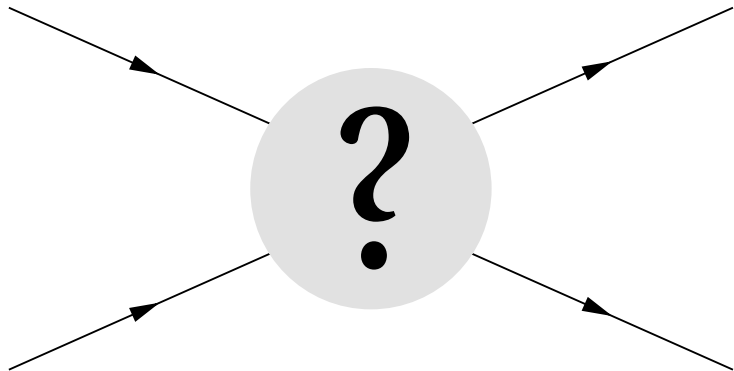


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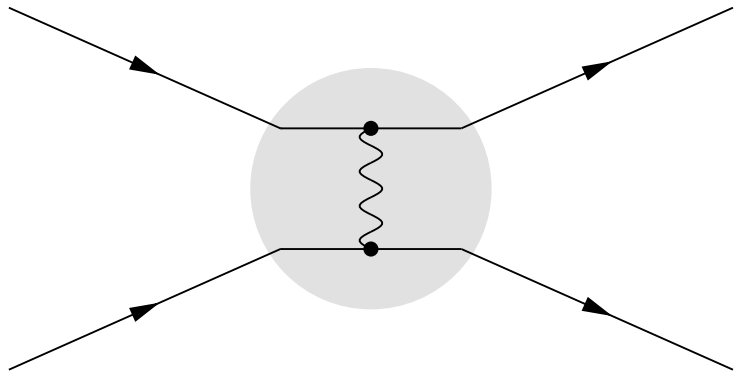
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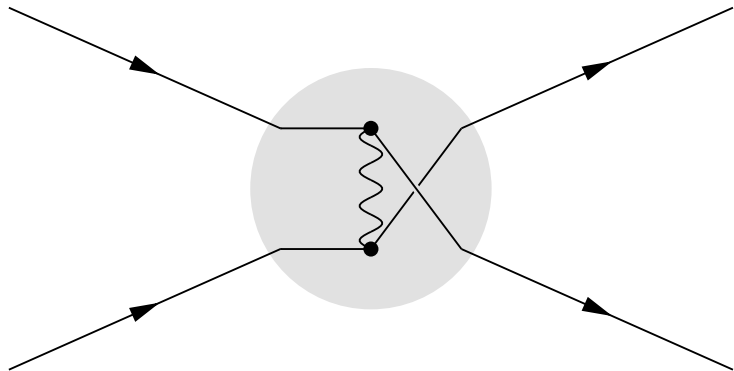
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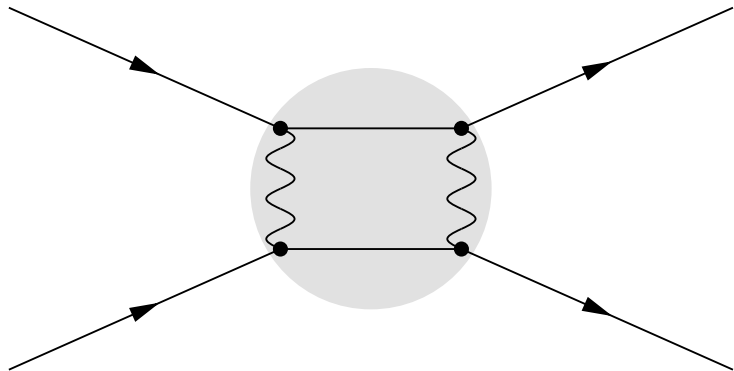
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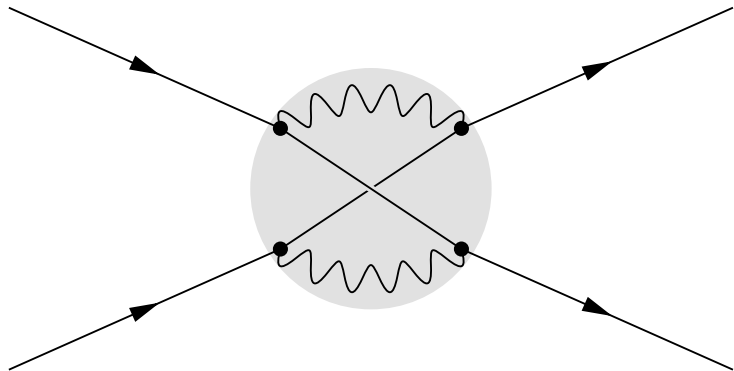
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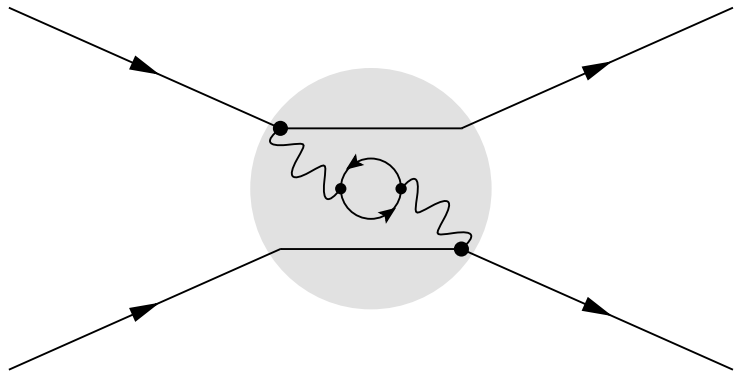
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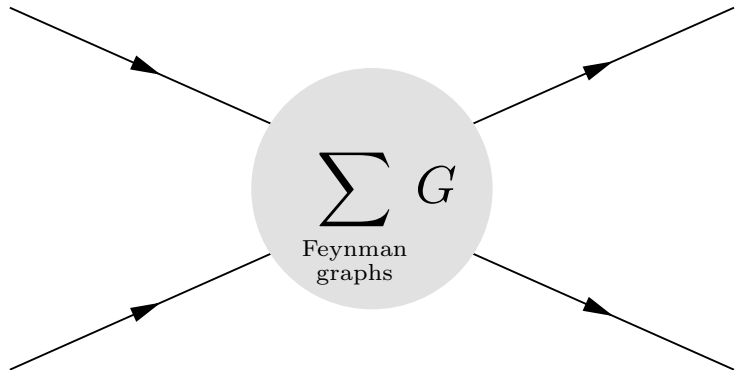
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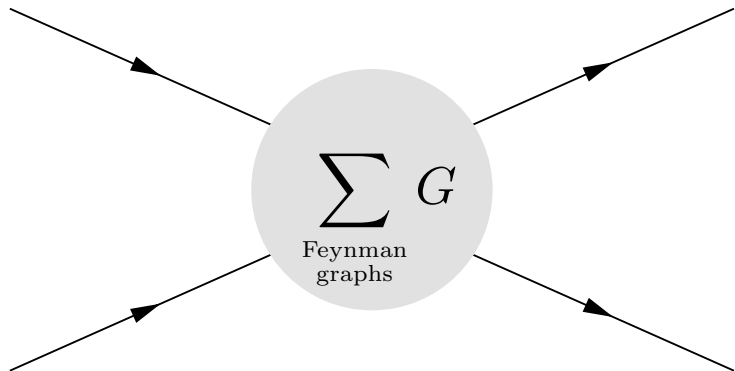
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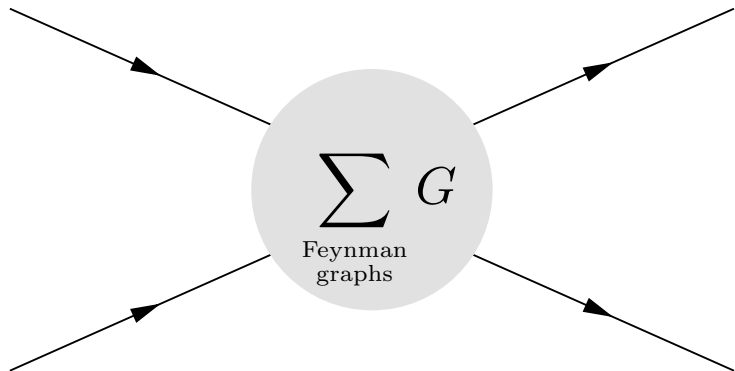
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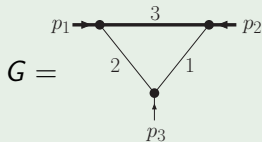
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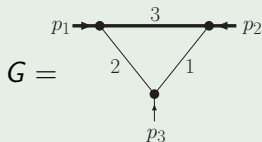
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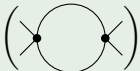
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## Lemma

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## Corollary (linear reducibility)

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# Polynomial reduction

## Corollary (linear reducibility)

If all  $S^k := (S^{k-1})_k$  are linear in  $\alpha_{k+1}$ , then any MPL  $F$  with alphabet in  $S^0$  integrates to a MPL  $\int_0^\infty F \prod_{e=1}^n d\alpha_e$  with alphabet in  $S^n$ .

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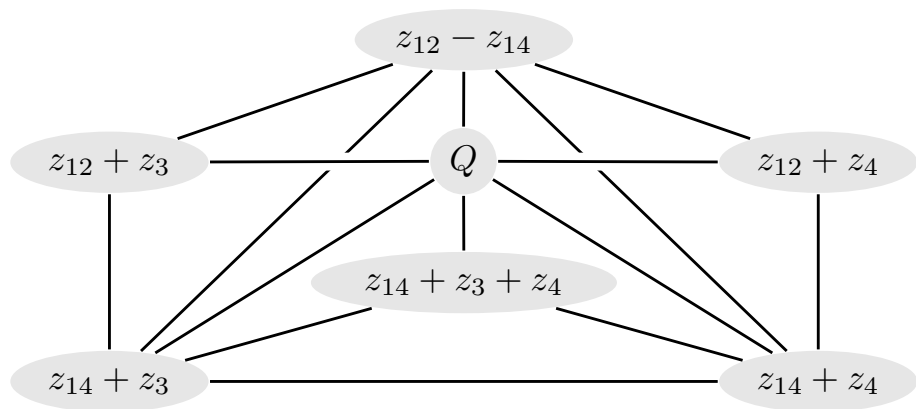
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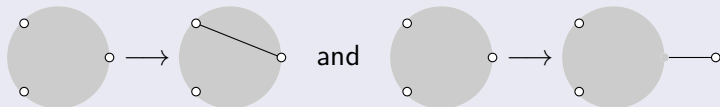
# Compatibility graph of box-ladders



# Linear reducibility: Known results

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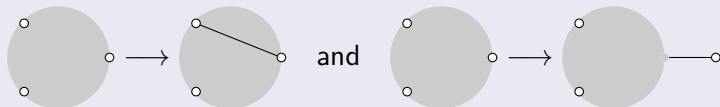
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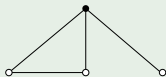
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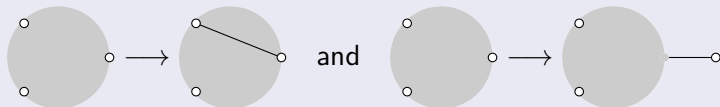
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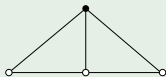
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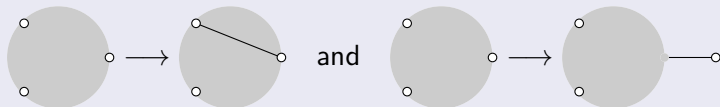




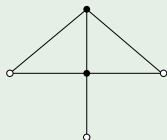
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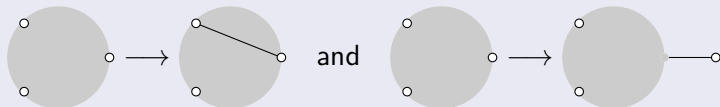
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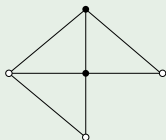
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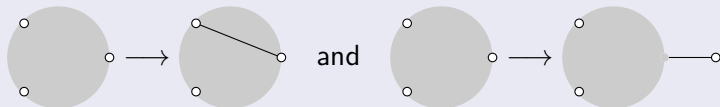
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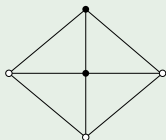
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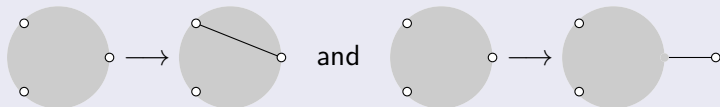
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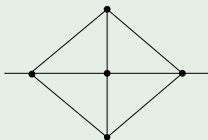
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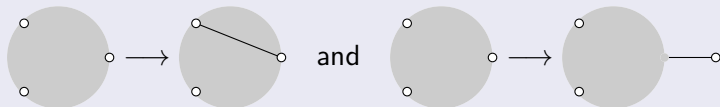
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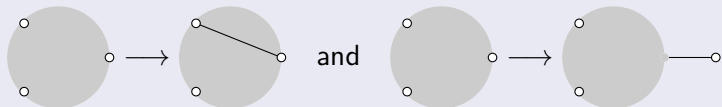
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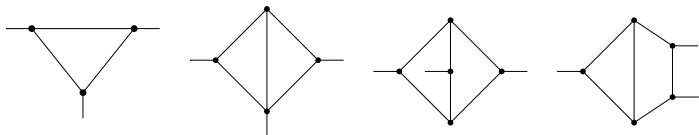
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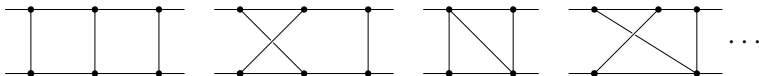


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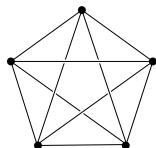
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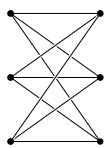
# Forbidden minors for vertex-width 3

Theorem (Crump, Yeats et. al.)

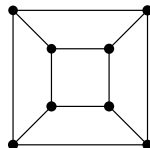
A simple, 3-connected graph  $G$  has vertex-width  $\text{vw}(G) = 3$  if and only if it contains none of  $\{K_{3,3}, K_5, C, O, H\}$  as a minor.



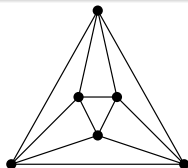
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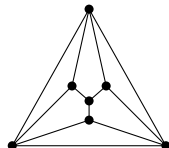
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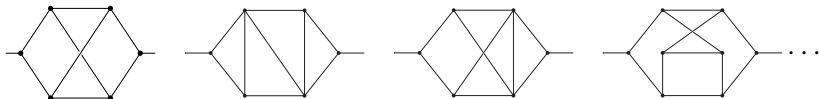
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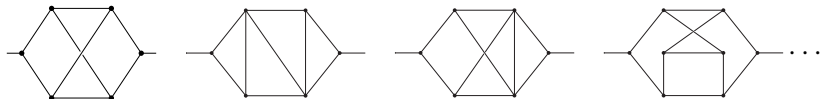
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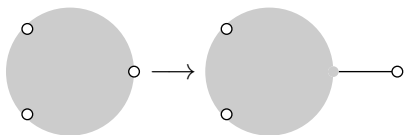
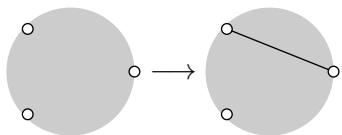
- all 7-loop primitive  $\phi^4$ -periods (Broadhurst & Kreimer 1995) now known exactly (with Schnetz)

$$P_{7,11} = \text{Diagram} \Rightarrow \text{MPL at } e^{i\pi/3} \text{ (not MZV!)}$$

Linearly reducible only after change of variables

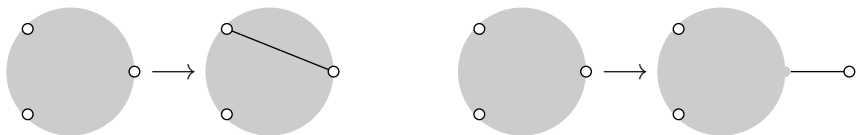
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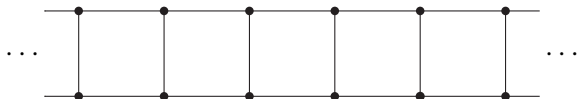


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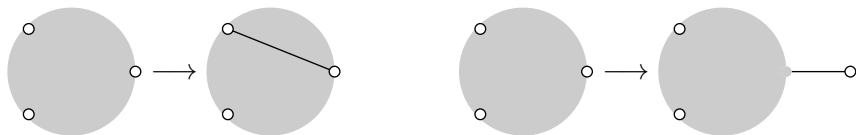


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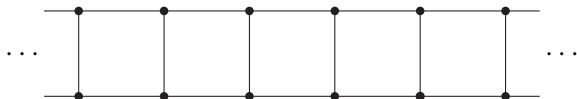


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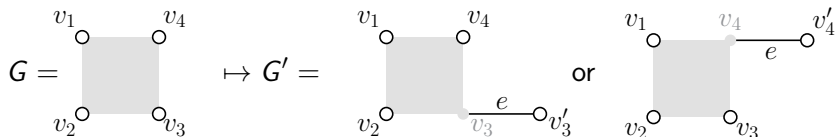
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- 1 forest functions (inverse Laplace transform of  $\Phi$ )
- 2 recursive integral equations
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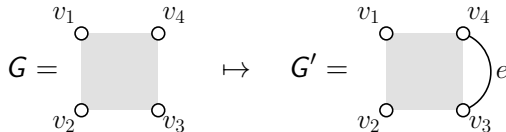
# 4-point recursions

Start with the box and repeat, in any order:

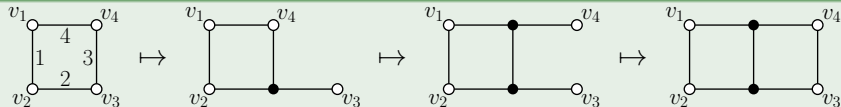
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## Example



# Forest polynomials

## Definition

Spanning forest polynomial  $\Phi^{A,B} := \sum_F \prod_{e \notin F} \alpha_e$  over 2-forests  $F$  which separate the vertices  $A$  and  $B$ .

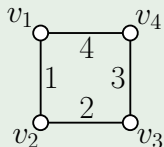
$$f_{12} := \Phi^{\{1,2\},\{3,4\}}$$

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$$f_{14} := \Phi^{\{1,4\},\{2,3\}}$$

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## Example



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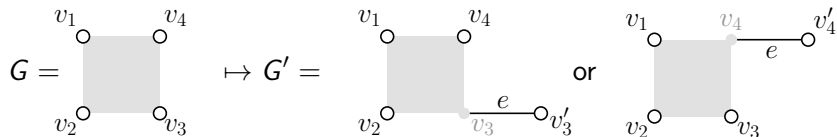
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$$F_G(z) := \int_{\mathbb{R}_+^E} \psi_G^{-D/2} \cdot \delta^{(4)}\left(\frac{f}{\psi} - z\right) \prod_{e \in E} \alpha_e^{a_e - 1} d\alpha_e \quad (\mathbb{R}_+^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+)$$

## Example ( $a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = a_4 = 1$ )

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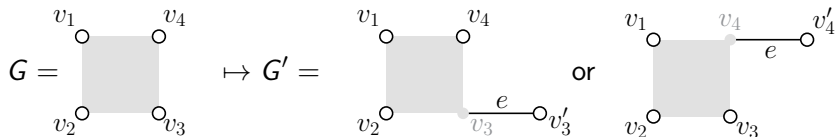


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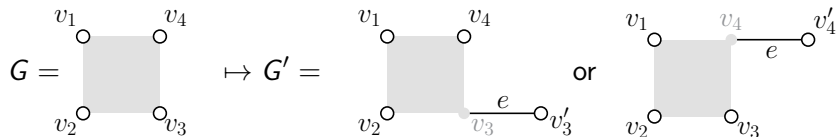
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The diagrammatic equation shows the integral of a graph with an internal vertex over the position of that vertex. On the left, a square graph with vertices  $v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4$  has a black dot representing an internal vertex on the edge between  $v_2$  and  $v_3$ . This is followed by a semicolon and the variable  $z$ . An equals sign follows, then an integral from 0 to  $z_3$ . The integrand is another square graph with vertices  $v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4$  and edges labeled 1, 2, 3, and 4. Edges 1 and 2 are vertical, 3 and 4 are horizontal. The internal vertex is on edge 2. This is followed by a semicolon and the variables  $z_{12}, z_{14}, z'_3, z_4$ . The integral is over  $dz'_3$ .

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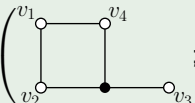
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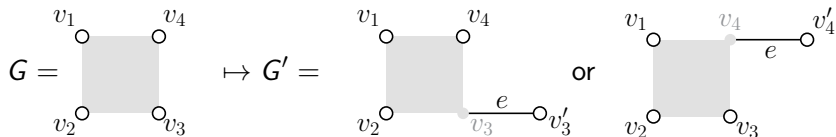
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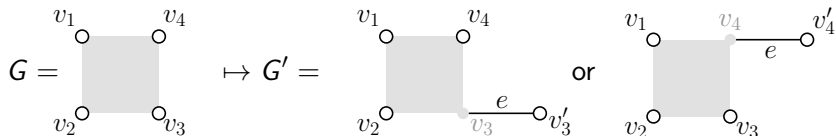
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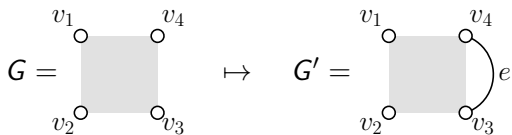
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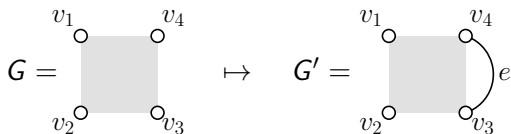
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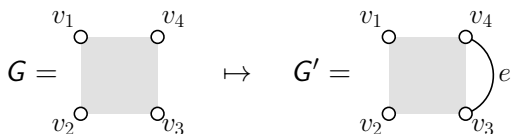
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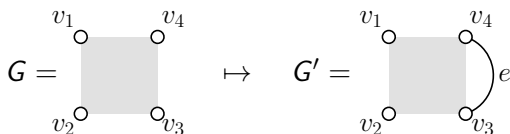


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# Adding an edge



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Example ( $D = 6$  and  $a_e = 1$ )

$$\begin{aligned}
 F\left(\begin{array}{c} v_1 \quad \bullet \quad v_4 \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ v_2 \quad \bullet \quad v_3 \end{array}; z\right) &= \frac{1}{Q^2} \int_0^{z_{12}} F\left(\begin{array}{c} v_1 \quad \bullet \quad v_4 \\ | \quad | \quad | \\ v_2 \quad \bullet \quad v_3 \end{array}; z_{12} - x, z_{14}, z_3, z_4\right) dx \\
 &= \frac{z_{12} - z_{14}}{Q^2} \left[ \ln \frac{Q}{z_3 z_4} \ln \frac{(z_{14} + z_3)(z_{14} + z_4)}{z_{14}(z_{14} + z_3 + z_4)} - \text{Li}_2\left(\frac{z_3 z_4 (z_{14} - z_{12})}{z_{14} Q}\right) \right] \\
 &+ \frac{z_{12} - z_{14}}{Q^2} \text{Li}_2\left(\frac{z_3 z_4}{Q}\right) + \frac{z_{12}}{Q^2} \ln \frac{z_{14} z_3 z_4}{z_{12}(z_{14} + z_3)(z_{14} + z_4)} - \frac{\ln(z_3 z_4 / Q)}{Q(z_{14} + z_3 + z_4)}
 \end{aligned}$$



# Kinematics from forest functions

$$\varphi = \mathcal{F} = (p_1 + p_2)^2 f_{12} + (p_1 + p_4)^2 f_{14} + p_3^2 f_3 + p_4^2 f_4$$

## Corollary

$$\Phi(G) = \frac{\Gamma(\text{sdd})}{\prod_e \Gamma(a_e)} \int_0^\infty \frac{F_G(z) \Omega}{[(p_1 + p_2)^2 z_{12} + (p_1 + p_4)^2 z_{14} + p_3^2 z_3 + p_4^2 z_4]^{\text{sdd}}}$$

Example (kinematics:  $s = (p_1 + p_2)^2$  and  $u = (p_1 + p_4)^2$ )

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi \left( \begin{array}{c} \bullet \quad \bullet \\ | \quad | \\ \bullet \quad \bullet \end{array} \right) &= \int_0^\infty \frac{dz_{12}}{sz_{12} + u} \int_0^\infty dz_3 \int_0^\infty dz_4 \frac{z_{12}}{[z_{12}(1 + z_3 + z_4) + z_4 z_3]^2} \\ &= \int_0^\infty \frac{dz_{12} \ln z_{12}}{(sz_{12} + u)(z_{12} - 1)} = \frac{\pi^2 + \ln^2(s/u)}{2(s + u)} \end{aligned}$$

# Periods of cocommutative graphs

The Feynman period of log. div. graphs depends on the renormalization scheme/point. Cocommutative graphs are an exception.

## Example (wheels in wheels)

$$\mathcal{P} \left( \text{Diagram 1} \right) = 72\zeta_3^2 - \frac{189}{2}\zeta_7$$

$$\mathcal{P} \left( \text{Diagram 2} - \text{Diagram 3} \right) = 72\zeta_3^3$$

$$\mathcal{P} \left( \text{Diagram 2} + \text{Diagram 3} \right) = 480\zeta_3\zeta_5 - 40\zeta_3^3 - \frac{4730}{9}\zeta_9$$

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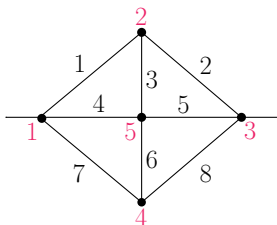
## Example

```
> read "HyperInt.mpl":  
> hyperInt(polylog(2,-x)*polylog(3,-1/x)/x,x=0..infinity):  
> fibrationBasis(%);
```

$$\frac{8}{7}\zeta_2^3$$

computes  $\int_0^\infty \text{Li}_2(-x) \text{Li}_3(-1/x) dx = \frac{8}{7}\zeta_2^3$ .

# HyperInt: propagator



- > E := [[2,1],[2,3],[2,5],[5,1],[5,3],[5,4],[4,1],[4,3]]:
- > psi := graphPolynomial(E):
- > phi := secondPolynomial(E, [[1,1],[3,1]]):
- > add((epsilon\*log(psi^5/phi^4))^n/n!,n=0..2)/psi^2:
- > hyperInt(eval(%,x[8]=1), [seq(x[n],n=1..7)]):
- > collect(fibrationBasis(%), epsilon);

$$\left(254\zeta_7 + 780\zeta_5 - 200\zeta_2\zeta_5 - 196\zeta_3^2 + 80\zeta_2^3 - \frac{168}{5}\zeta_2^2\zeta_3\right)\epsilon^2 + \left(-28\zeta_3^2 + 140\zeta_5 + \frac{80}{7}\zeta_2^3\right)\epsilon + 20\zeta_5$$

# HyperInt: triangle

Graph polynomials:

- > `E:=[[1,2],[2,3],[3,1]]:`
- > `M:=[[3,1],[1,z*zz],[2,(1-z)*(1-zz)]]:`
- > `psi:=graphPolynomial(E):`
- > `phi:=secondPolynomial(E,M):`

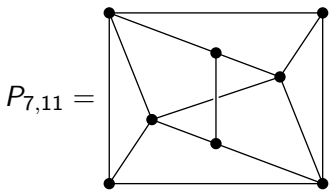
Integration:

- > `hyperInt(eval(1/psi/phi,x[3]=1),[x[1],x[2]]):`
- > `factor(fibrationBasis(%,[z,zz])):`  
$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{Hlog}(1; z) \text{Hlog}(0; zz) - \text{Hlog}(0; z) \text{Hlog}(1; zz) + \text{Hlog}(0, 1; zz) \\ & - \text{Hlog}(1, 0; zz) + \text{Hlog}(1, 0; z) - \text{Hlog}(0, 1; z)) / (z - zz) \end{aligned}$$

Polynomial reduction:

- > `L[{}]:=[{psi,phi},{psi,phi}]:`
- > `cgReduction(L):`
- > `L[{x[1],x[2]}][1]:`  
$$\{-1 + z, -1 + zz, -zz + z\}$$

# Massless $\phi^4$ theory: primitive sixth roots of unity



is not linearly reducible!

Tenth denominator:

$$\begin{aligned}
 d_{10} = & \alpha_2 \alpha_4^2 \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \alpha_4^2 \alpha_3 - \alpha_1 \alpha_2 \alpha_3 \alpha_4 + \alpha_2^2 \alpha_4 \alpha_1 + \alpha_2^2 \alpha_4 \alpha_3 \\
 & - 2\alpha_2 \alpha_3^2 \alpha_4 - \alpha_2^2 \alpha_3^2 - 2\alpha_2^2 \alpha_3 \alpha_1 - 2\alpha_2 \alpha_3^2 \alpha_1 - \alpha_3^2 \alpha_4^2 \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

Change variables:  $\alpha_3 = \frac{\alpha'_3 \alpha_1}{\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_4}$ ,  $\alpha_4 = \alpha'_4 (\alpha_2 + \alpha'_3)$  and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha'_1 \alpha'_4$ ,

$$d'_{10} = (\alpha_2 + \alpha'_3)(\alpha_2 + \alpha_2 \alpha'_4 - \alpha'_1)(\alpha'_1 \alpha'_4 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_2 \alpha'_4 + \alpha'_3 \alpha'_4)$$

Final result: *not a multiple zeta value*, instead MPL at  $e^{i\pi/3}$

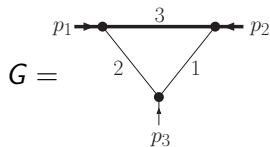
$\sqrt{3} \mathcal{P}(P_{7,11})$ 

$$\begin{aligned} &= \operatorname{Im} \left( \frac{19\,285}{6} \zeta_9 \operatorname{Li}_2 - \frac{10\,29}{2} \zeta_7 \operatorname{Li}_4 + 240 \zeta_3^2 (9 \operatorname{Li}_{2,3} - 7 \zeta_3 \operatorname{Li}_2) \right) - \frac{93\,824}{9675} \pi^3 \zeta_{3,5} \\ &+ \frac{2\,592}{215} \operatorname{Im} \left( 36 \operatorname{Li}_{2,2,2,5} + 27 \operatorname{Li}_{2,2,3,4} + 9 \operatorname{Li}_{2,2,4,3} + 9 \operatorname{Li}_{2,3,2,4} + 3 \operatorname{Li}_{2,3,3,3} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - 43 \zeta_3 (\operatorname{Li}_{2,3,3} + 3 \operatorname{Li}_{2,2,4}) \right) - \frac{96\,393\,596\,519\,864\,341\,538\,701\,979}{790\,371\,465\,315\,684\,594\,157\,620\,000} \pi^{11} \\ &+ \frac{216}{14\,755\,731\,798\,995} \operatorname{Im} \left( 2\,539\,186\,130\,125\,890 \operatorname{Li}_8 \zeta_3 - 1\,269\,593\,065\,062\,945 \operatorname{Li}_{2,9} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - 413\,965\,317\,054\,502 \operatorname{Li}_6 \zeta_5 - 996\,412\,983\,391\,539 \operatorname{Li}_{3,8} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - 546\,306\,741\,059\,841 \operatorname{Li}_{4,7} - 156\,228\,639\,992\,955 \operatorname{Li}_{5,6} \right) \\ &+ \frac{2\,592}{10\,945\,435} \pi^2 \operatorname{Im} \left( 287\,205 \operatorname{Li}_{2,7} - 574\,410 \operatorname{Li}_6 \zeta_3 + 55\,687 \operatorname{Li}_{4,5} + 168\,941 \operatorname{Li}_{3,6} \right) \\ &+ \pi \left( \frac{11\,613\,751}{9030} \zeta_5^2 + \frac{267\,067}{602} \zeta_{3,7} - \frac{31\,104}{215} \operatorname{Re}(3 \operatorname{Li}_{4,6} + 10 \operatorname{Li}_{3,7}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Abbreviation:  $\operatorname{Li}_{n_1, \dots, n_r} := \operatorname{Li}_{n_1, \dots, n_r}(e^{i\pi/3})$



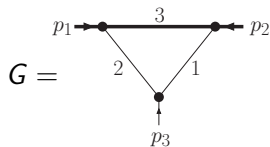
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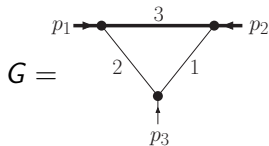


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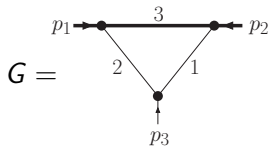
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The diagram in the first term is the same as the one above. The diagrams in the second and third terms are the same as the first, but with the top horizontal line (line 3) drawn as a thick solid line, representing a subdivergence.

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## Corollary (IBP, Euclidean kinematics)

*One can choose master integrals to be scalar and free of subdivergences, given that one allows for shifted dimensions  $D + 2, D + 4, \dots$  and dots.*





# Double box: IBP reduction to primitive master integrals

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Diagram 1} \quad (4-2\epsilon) \\
 = & A_1 \text{Diagram 2} \quad (6-2\epsilon) + A_2 \text{Diagram 3} \quad (6-2\epsilon) \\
 + & \frac{A_3}{\epsilon^2} \text{Diagram 4} \quad (6-2\epsilon) + \frac{A_4}{\epsilon^2} \text{Diagram 5} \quad (6-2\epsilon) + \frac{A_5}{\epsilon^3} \text{Diagram 6} \quad (4-2\epsilon) \\
 + & \frac{A_6}{\epsilon^3} \text{Diagram 7} \quad (6-2\epsilon) + \frac{A_7}{\epsilon^4} \text{Diagram 8} \quad (6-2\epsilon) + \frac{A_8}{\epsilon^3} \text{Diagram 9} \quad (4-2\epsilon)
 \end{aligned}$$